

Las Cruces and the Mesilla Valley

JURIES ARE DRAWN FOR CRUCES COURT

Term Will Open in October; Grand and Petit Juries Drawn for District.

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—The venire for the United States Juries for the term of court which will open here on October 3 has been drawn. The United States grand jury venire is as follows: Dona Ana county—Francisco Sal, Juan Armandarez, Dolores Marro, Nicanor Tarango, Ricardo Ascarate, Juan Miquel, Adolfo Pena, Juan N. Luna, Grant county—Nicholas Greenfield, Nat Hicks, W. T. Hughes, R. A. Edwards, J. W. Carter, Watt Boone, C. C. Barcia, Archie Straight, H. D. Gilbert, John Nolan, B. C. Knowles, Margaret Cordova, Archie Causland, G. A. McGrath.

Luna county—Charles S. Allen, Jeff B. Keith, William Howard, Arthur Brice, P. A. Burdick.

United States Petit Jury.

The United States petit jury is as follows: Dona Ana county—Santiago Serna, W. M. Freeman, Tiburcio Misques, Hilario Sains, Eldefonso Lopez, C. C. Snow, Luis Torres, John Thompson, R. W. Brownlee, William Rhodes, H. Page, J. W. Evans, Emilio Pulveda, Luis Apodaca, Adriano Alvarez, Felix Torres, Fred Thorne.

Grant county—Jesse Mitchell, H. P. Nash, Ed Wellington, P. B. Ester, Juan Sepulveda, F. C. Bell, Jose Dominguez, T. L. Gladney, Frank Conlin, Jacob Barnett, J. H. Bennett.

Luna county—Felipe Gonzales, W. R. Anderson, J. P. Murphy, Cruz Smith, Henry Nordhaus, Matilde Valverde, Jose Apodaca, Pedro Pacheco.

The grand jury, so it is understood, will have considerable work brought before it for attention and investigation, and there is a large docket for the petit jury.

CRUCES MILITIA LEAVES THURSDAY FOR CALIFORNIA

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—Company A, of the New Mexico national guard, will leave Las Cruces on Thursday, September 15, for Alameda, Cal., to attend the national encampment. The boys have been drilling regularly and expect to make a showing that will be creditable to themselves and the Mesilla valley.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AT CRUCES WIN PIANO

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—The piano contest is ended and the Knights of Columbus won the instrument. The total vote cast was 35,389 for the Knights of Columbus and 17,671 for the Y. M. C. A. The judges for the counting of ballots were Claude H. Henry, Duncan C. Williams and Sam J. Bean.

LAS CRUCES HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—Arrivals at the Don Bernardo: J. A. Rogers, El Paso; L. Foster, D. R. Darrett, St. Louis; S. M. Polson, Trinidad, Cal.; N. Schell, New York city; J. E. Schilder, St. Louis; S. Cohen, New York; H. C. Loeb, New York; C. I. Leslie, El Paso; N. W. Violette, St. Louis; W. C. Reynolds, Mesilla; J. H. Warner, Mrs. F. Bennett, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Merrill, Dr. Stillwell C. Burns, Philadelphia; Dr. F. W. Lynch, El Paso; A. W. Gill, El Paso; Martha E. Matlock, W. Suttmeier, San Antonio, Tex.

SALOON LICENSES HELD UP IN TEXAS COUNTY.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 12.—Because a contest filed by prohibitionists affecting the recent local option election in Potter county, which county voted for license, the controller's department has not issued permits to sell liquor. There have been several applications from citizens of Amarillo. H. C. Cooper, representing applicants is here today conferring with the controller regarding the permits. No decision has been reached.

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In every phase of development, mental, moral and physical, St. Vincent's College stands first in the Southwest today. It has a most efficient corps of instructors who have had years of successful service together. The scope of its training is so comprehensive that a boy may enter from the seventh or eighth grades and get his education from the same able instructors, on up through the high school department and the collegiate department, to A. B., B. S., or B. S. in C. E. degree. In the high school department, the student may take up the classical, scientific or commercial course. In the collegiate department, he may take up the classical, scientific or civil engineering course, any one of which requires four years.

A moderate indulgence in many athletics is encouraged at St. Vincent's. The college has a splendid campus and one of the finest gymnasiums in the West. It is an institution to which any mother may safely send her boy with the confidence that he will not come in contact with evil influences.

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LAS CRUCES ELKS VOTE ON NEW MEMBERS

Deming Minister to Preach There Next Sunday; Many Visitors in Town.

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—W. D. Newcomb has returned to Socorro after spending three days here on business and visiting friends.

Mal Eugene Van Patten returned yesterday to his Drilling Springs resort in the Organ mountains.

The civil case of Bascom company against A. Piquet was compromised in the justice court Saturday.

John Martin, an old time miner of the Organ district, was in the city Saturday from his claim in the mountains.

John H. May went to El Paso Saturday afternoon returning Sunday morning.

Mrs. G. W. Frenger and children went to El Paso Sunday morning to visit for several days with Mrs. Chas. E. Kirchner, a cousin of Mrs. Frenger.

Edmon, deputy district court clerk for this district, was a business visitor in El Paso Friday and Saturday.

Miss Cora Ford left Saturday evening over the Santa Fe for Sacramento, Canada, where she has spent the winter.

Paul was formerly an assistant professor in the agricultural department of the New Mexico Agricultural college. He left here four years ago and now owns a fine wheat farm in the Canadian country.

Mrs. W. A. Sutherland and son are spending the week at the Newberry ranch near Leesburg.

Rev. Wm. Sicks, of Deming will be here the latter part of this week and will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday at both the morning and evening services.

E. T. Winters, who has been employed at the Las Cruces Drug company's store for several months, left for his home at Coffeyville, where he will be married within a short time.

L. R. Crawford, formerly with the Scott White drug store in El Paso, arrived in Las Cruces to take a position with the Las Cruces Drug company. Harry Tindall, of this city, has gone to El Paso to fill the vacancy in the Scott White store caused by Mr. Crawford's resignation. Mr. Crawford is a former resident of Las Cruces.

Las Cruces lodge No. 1119, B. P. O. Elks, will hold a meeting on tomorrow night at which four applications for membership will be balloted upon.

Capt. Phil Dessauer, of company A, New Mexico national guard, returned Saturday night from Chicago, where he has been since the close of the rifle shoot of the national guard at Camp Perry, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Catarino Armijo and children are spending this week at Van Patten's Drilling Springs resort in the Organ mountains.

Dr. Stillwell C. Burns, the Philadelphia physician who made the tests with stovaine in El Paso last week, was in Las Cruces Sunday morning.

Dr. F. W. Lynch of El Paso, was a Las Cruces visitor Saturday and Sunday, accompanying Dr. Burns.

A. W. Gill was an El Pasoan who visited Las Cruces Saturday and Sunday.

MEXICAN HURT IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—Arturo Alderete, a young lad, had a narrow escape from serious injury and possibly death when he was struck by an automobile. He was riding his bicycle when a boy by name of Danos, who owns and drives a red automobile, ran into him, throwing him to the ground and breaking the bicycle almost beyond repair. Luckily, outside of being slightly bruised, Arturo was not injured.

False Alarm Sunday.

A false alarm, turned in from Stanton and Fourth streets, was responded to at 6 o'clock Sunday night by the Central fire company.

25 PERCENT OFF AT HIXSON'S.

It was also ordered that \$10,000 be transferred to the road improvement fund to the road improvement fund.

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LAS CRUCES FIRE WHISTLE AGAIN IN COMMISSION

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PICNIC A BIG SUCCESS AT SHALEM COLONY

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—The picnic and dance given by the Republican party leaders at Shalem colony yesterday was a big success and was attended by more than 100 people. Refreshments were served and good music furnished for those who wished to dance.

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A BRILLIANT RECEPTION GIVEN BY COLLEGE PRESIDENT

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Dr. Garrison and wife were assisted in receiving their little daughter by the members of the board of regents and their wives. Refreshments were served and an orchestra rendered music throughout the evening.

Las Cruces residents to marry in Morisco.

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 12.—Morisco Freudenthal and Miss Pauline Wise will be married at San Francisco on September 13. From San Francisco they will go to Los Angeles to spend a few days and will then come to Las Cruces where they will make their home.

A SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST YOUNG MAN

Released on Bond After Girl Denies Allegations; Came to Be Married.

With a charge of betrayal registered against him, C. P. Parks, arrested Sunday, was released Monday morning from the county jail by justice Watson on a \$500 bond, to appear in court Wednesday morning. The bond was signed by W. B. Ware and J. A. Chipp.

The arrest of Parks followed the arrival of himself and Miss Edith Adams in El Paso Saturday night from Colonia Diaz, Mex. Their children were to be married in a matrimonial ceremony, but were unable to find county clerk Pitman or a deputy. Miss Adams, who is from the Mormon colony at Colonia Diaz, spent the night with Mrs. G. A. McLure, a mutual friend of the couple, who resides at 611 Copper street, where Parks was arrested Sunday.

The warrant for Parks' arrest was sworn out by L. C. Pierce, of Juarez, who acted on the advice from the parents of Miss Adams, who telegraphed him from Colonia Diaz. The parents of the girl, who state she is not of age, are expected to arrive in El Paso from Colonia Diaz Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Adams, who states she is not yet 18, refused the charge of betrayal.

Parks was arrested Sunday by policeman Hawkins but was later transferred to the county jail. He refused to discuss the case.

HEREFORD MAN IS BURIED IN WELL

Sinks Into Well, Where He Remained Fifteen Hours; Not Injured.

Bihee, Ariz., Sept. 12.—W. A. White, of Hereford, is alive today to relate his terrible experience of having spent 15 hours in a well, 40 feet deep and four feet across. Mr. White came to Bihee and when traveling back in the evening, heard some one crying for help. White stopped his team and went to the place, proceeding but a short distance when he felt himself sinking through the earth. He struck water and went down several feet. Rising to the surface, he discovered the cause of his trouble. He had floated up until it would support his weight. White dug steps with his knife on each side of the well and shortly before daylight reached a point within 12 feet of the top but the walls at that point had crumbled. He then set to work digging an unwise. After digging four feet, he heard footsteps and calling out, succeeded in bringing Guy Welch, who secured a rope and, with the aid of two hunters, extricated him.

CRUEL MURDER IN A TEXAS TOWN

Telephone Wire Cut So the News Could Not Be Flashed to Officers.

Brenham, Tex., Sept. 12.—Carefully cutting the telephone line communicating with Brenham, but forgetting to cut the line to Burton, an unidentified assassin shot and fatally wounded August Look, while his victim was being surrounded by his family reading in their home near Zionville, at 8 o'clock last night.

Physicians were summoned and placed the man on a fast train bound for Galveston where he was intended to place him in a hospital, but he died before the train arrived at Galveston.

Look was a highly respected German farmer. The authorities are investigating on a theory that the shot was fired by a negro. A gun loaded with buckshot was used. Look leaves a wife and four children.

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